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I guess you can call it a win for Microsoft but I call it a compromise in Capitalism and Freedom. The US was founded on the principles of Capitalism and Freedom and we should strive to maintain those principles. When IBM ran the PC show and everything you bought had to be IBM compatible no one complained except for the consumers. Microsoft came along and made a better product much cheaper and easier to use and suddenly we have a problem...we have a monopoly not unlike IBM had but because some politicians are in IBM's pockets the DOJ was suckered into taking a communistic act.... We have to break up Microsoft. Because of this action the US economy was thrown into a recession. The suit can argue all they want but many of us knew when we heard of the DOJ's plans exactly what would happen. If I were to cause such an action that would affect the entire country I would be in prison. A win for Microsoft? Maybe. We will see.